

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
TAKAYUKI SUGA ET AL.) : Examiner: Akwasi Sarpong
Application No.: 10/674,498) : Group Art Unit: 2625
Filed: October 1, 2003) : Confirmation No.: 4225
For: IMAGE READING APPARATUS) : September 15, 2009

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 20, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows: